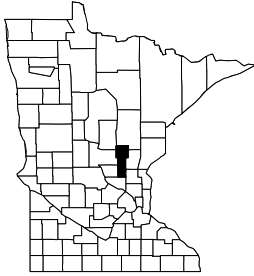
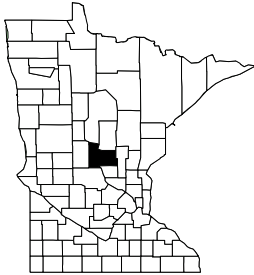
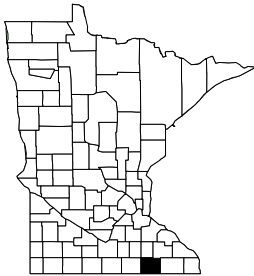


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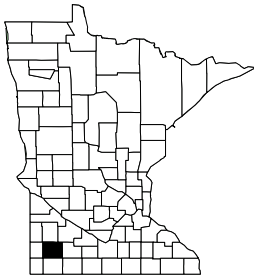
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Number of Farms	799	847	Corn, Bu.	20,300	122.0	2,476,600	60
Total Land in Farms, Acres	149,832	132,369	Soybeans, Bu.	12,900	30.0	387,000	68
Average Farm Size, Acres	188	156	All Wheat, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Cropland, Acres	91,318	80,596	Oats, Bu.	1,900	71.0	134,900	27
Average Age of Farmers	51.5	52.7	All Hay, Tons	30,400	2.8	84,500	22
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	4,622	79	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			1,700	62
Livestock	19,819	54	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			19,000	48
Government Payments	2,300	66	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			3,900	41
Total	26,741	72	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			3,500	36

MORRISON2000 Population
31,712

Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	1,958	1,924	Corn, Bu.	79,200	92.0	7,286,400	49
Total Land in Farms, Acres	456,837	452,120	Soybeans, Bu.	25,800	28.0	722,400	60
Average Farm Size, Acres	233	235	All Wheat, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Cropland, Acres	259,598	261,867	Oats, Bu.	6,400	67.0	428,800	6
Average Age of Farmers	49.6	51.2	All Hay, Tons	73,100	2.9	210,100	5
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	21,339	63	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			19,000	45
Livestock	132,889	5	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			88,000	3
Government Payments	10,871	31	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			15,500	3
Total	165,099	21	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			26,400	2

MOWER2000 Population
38,603

Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	1,166	1,088	Corn, Bu.	182,400	169.0	30,825,600	9
Total Land in Farms, Acres	407,685	412,145	Soybeans, Bu.	159,700	40.0	6,388,000	9
Average Farm Size, Acres	350	379	All Wheat, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Cropland, Acres	378,741	382,759	Oats, Bu.	1,800	78.0	140,400	26
Average Age of Farmers	50.1	51.4	All Hay, Tons	12,400	3.8	47,500	42
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	79,475	17	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			239,000	6
Livestock	73,027	21	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			25,500	37
Government Payments	14,443	12	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			3,100	46
Total	166,945	20	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			5,000	28

MURRAY2000 Population
9,165

Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	849	911	Corn, Bu.	178,500	159.0	28,381,500	12
Total Land in Farms, Acres	387,758	407,488	Soybeans, Bu.	163,800	37.0	6,060,600	11
Average Farm Size, Acres	457	447	All Wheat, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Cropland, Acres	356,086	375,648	Oats, Bu.	2,300	83.0	190,900	19
Average Age of Farmers	49.1	51.7	All Hay, Tons	14,400	3.9	55,700	34
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	71,723	24	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			129,000	20
Livestock	64,879	29	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			39,000	16
Government Payments	12,506	26	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			4,900	29
Total	149,108	24	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			4,200	33

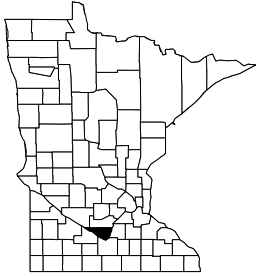
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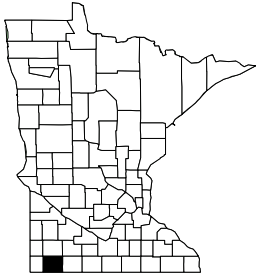
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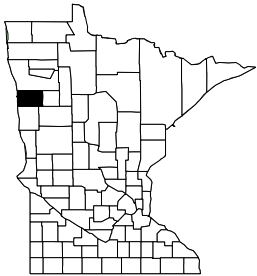
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NICOLLET2000 Population
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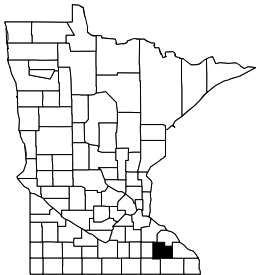
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Number of Farms	741	730	Corn, Bu.	117,800	173.0	20,379,400	26
Total Land in Farms, Acres	253,483	257,101	Soybeans, Bu.	92,200	38.0	3,503,600	33
Average Farm Size, Acres	342	352	All Wheat, Bu.	1,000	48.0	48,000	44
Total Cropland, Acres	236,871	234,069	Oats, Bu.	1,000	70.0	70,000	53
Average Age of Farmers	48.5	51.9	All Hay, Tons	*	*	*	*
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	58,096	33	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			279,000	4
Livestock	114,908	9	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			19,000	48
Government Payments	8,615	47	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			800	81
Total	181,619	11	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			6,800	21

NOBLES2000 Population
20,832

Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	1,029	1,043	Corn, Bu.	198,800	166.0	33,000,800	5
Total Land in Farms, Acres	393,866	404,307	Soybeans, Bu.	178,500	40.0	7,140,000	5
Average Farm Size, Acres	383	388	All Wheat, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Cropland, Acres	369,479	374,443	Oats, Bu.	1,200	90.0	108,000	37
Average Age of Farmers	49.3	50.6	All Hay, Tons	12,500	3.5	43,700	50
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	77,220	19	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			306,000	3
Livestock	103,607	11	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			46,000	13
Government Payments	13,711	16	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			3,300	44
Total	194,538	10	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			4,600	29

NORMAN2000 Population
7,442

Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	726	660	Corn, Bu.	39,500	89.0	3,515,500	57
Total Land in Farms, Acres	530,516	527,283	Soybeans, Bu.	168,000	14.0	2,352,000	47
Average Farm Size, Acres	731	799	All Wheat, Bu.	137,600	60.0	8,256,000	4
Total Cropland, Acres	475,031	478,248	Oats, Bu.	1,000	75.0	75,000	50
Average Age of Farmers	50.6	53.8	All Hay, Tons	13,700	2.8	38,900	57
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	95,876	9	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			2,700	61
Livestock	6,058	79	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			9,500	70
Government Payments	18,736	6	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			2,500	53
Total	120,670	36	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			1,900	48

OLMSTED2000 Population
124,277

Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	1,399	1,395	Corn, Bu.	102,400	173.0	17,715,200	30
Total Land in Farms, Acres	303,388	313,020	Soybeans, Bu.	77,500	41.0	3,177,500	40
Average Farm Size, Acres	217	224	All Wheat, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Cropland, Acres	241,720	255,083	Oats, Bu.	4,500	67.0	301,500	11
Average Age of Farmers	53.0	53.5	All Hay, Tons	24,900	4.3	108,300	14
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	51,761	39	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			48,000	32
Livestock	61,652	31	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			50,500	11
Government Payments	10,869	32	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			9,200	11
Total	124,282	35	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			8,600	14

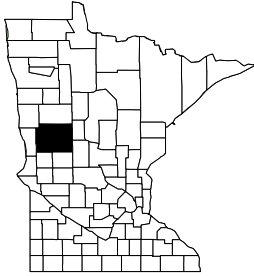
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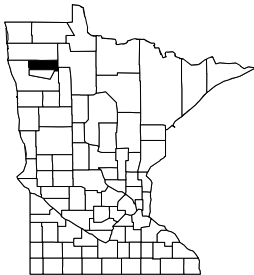
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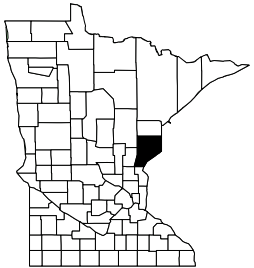
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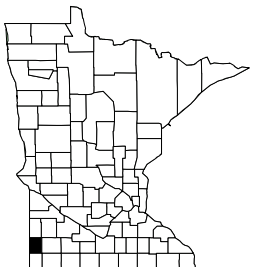
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Number of Farms	2,899	3,013	Corn, Bu.	128,100	118.0	15,115,800	36
Total Land in Farms, Acres	910,179	880,525	Soybeans, Bu.	134,100	26.0	3,486,600	34
Average Farm Size, Acres	314	292	All Wheat, Bu.	54,800	54.0	2,959,200	8
Total Cropland, Acres	640,670	614,307	Oats, Bu.	15,800	58.0	916,400	2
Average Age of Farmers	52.4	54.0	All Hay, Tons	110,600	2.8	308,200	2
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	90,297	12	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			24,000	37
Livestock	122,849	6	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			97,500	2
Government Payments	18,480	7	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			17,100	2
Total	231,626	7	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			23,800	4

PENNINGTON
 2000 Population
 13,584


Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	602	610	Corn, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	378,589	331,574	Soybeans, Bu.	57,600	7.0	403,200	66
Average Farm Size, Acres	629	544	All Wheat, Bu.	61,900	47.7	2,953,600	9
Total Cropland, Acres	322,239	273,726	Oats, Bu.	1,800	51.0	91,800	42
Average Age of Farmers	53.2	55.4	All Hay, Tons	29,500	2.8	83,800	23
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	33,889	55	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			*	*
Livestock	5,305	81	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			9,000	74
Government Payments	8,954	41	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			3,900	41
Total	48,148	64	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			500	75

PINE
 2000 Population
 26,530


Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	1,089	1,199	Corn, Bu.	15,000	118.0	1,770,000	63
Total Land in Farms, Acres	279,296	254,858	Soybeans, Bu.	9,700	31.0	300,700	69
Average Farm Size, Acres	256	213	All Wheat, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Cropland, Acres	141,101	130,846	Oats, Bu.	3,000	51.0	153,000	24
Average Age of Farmers	52.4	53.8	All Hay, Tons	56,400	2.7	152,300	7
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	9,164	73	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			*	*
Livestock	29,446	50	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			32,500	22
Government Payments	2,745	65	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			10,000	8
Total	41,355	66	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			5,400	27

PIPESTONE
 2000 Population
 9,895


Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	696	703	Corn, Bu.	100,100	143.0	14,314,300	37
Total Land in Farms, Acres	239,922	249,432	Soybeans, Bu.	91,300	34.0	3,104,200	41
Average Farm Size, Acres	345	355	All Wheat, Bu.	1,000	52.0	52,000	42
Total Cropland, Acres	210,101	213,623	Oats, Bu.	1,800	70.0	126,000	30
Average Age of Farmers	47.5	50.9	All Hay, Tons	13,900	3.3	45,500	47
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	38,911	48	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			216,000	10
Livestock	92,358	16	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			36,000	18
Government Payments	7,043	56	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			8,300	13
Total	138,312	29	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			4,600	29

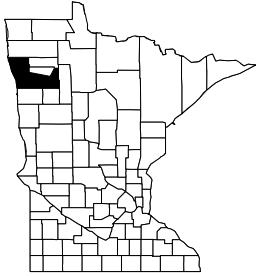
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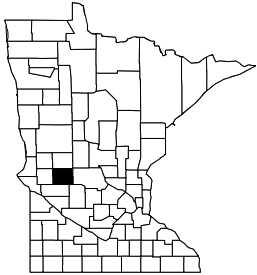
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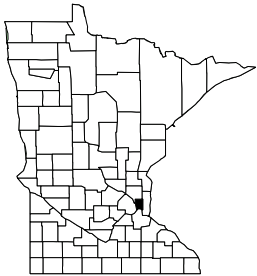
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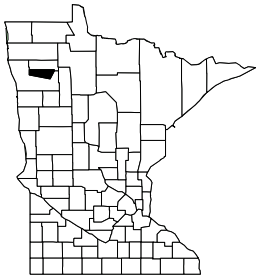
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Number of Farms	1,501	1,518	Corn, Bu.	32,400	76.0	2,462,400	61
Total Land in Farms, Acres	1,180,478	1,111,199	Soybeans, Bu.	266,200	13.0	3,460,600	35
Average Farm Size, Acres	786	732	All Wheat, Bu.	269,300	57.9	15,587,400	1
Total Cropland, Acres	1,043,671	985,737	Oats, Bu.	1,900	68.0	129,200	29
Average Age of Farmers	50.6	53.7	All Hay, Tons	34,400	2.2	76,000	27
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	217,894	1	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			8,800	55
Livestock	17,467	56	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			21,500	43
Government Payments	31,496	1	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			7,600	16
Total	266,857	4	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			2,300	44

POPE2000 Population
11,236

Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	880	924	Corn, Bu.	93,200	135.0	12,582,000	42
Total Land in Farms, Acres	345,689	350,160	Soybeans, Bu.	84,700	33.0	2,795,100	43
Average Farm Size, Acres	393	379	All Wheat, Bu.	9,900	50.0	495,000	22
Total Cropland, Acres	285,524	290,302	Oats, Bu.	2,500	69.0	172,500	22
Average Age of Farmers	51.7	53.1	All Hay, Tons	24,100	3.8	91,300	19
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	45,996	44	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			44,000	33
Livestock	37,921	47	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			35,500	19
Government Payments	10,337	34	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			5,600	26
Total	94,254	50	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			6,200	25

RAMSEY2000 Population
511,035

Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	64	36	Corn, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms, Acres	(D)	1,050	Soybeans, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	(D)	29	All Wheat, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Total Cropland, Acres	2,803	324	Oats, Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	56.4	All Hay, Tons	*	*	*	*
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	7,613	74	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			*	*
Livestock	100	86	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			*	*
Government Payments	*	*	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			*	*
Total	7,713	83	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			*	*

RED LAKE2000 Population
4,299

Census of Agriculture 1/	1997	2002	Crops – 2004	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Number of Farms	424	378	Corn, Bu.	3,600	49.0	176,400	71
Total Land in Farms, Acres	237,605	226,944	Soybeans, Bu.	64,900	13.0	843,700	57
Average Farm Size, Acres	560	600	All Wheat, Bu.	51,000	56.0	2,856,000	10
Total Cropland, Acres	200,450	190,901	Oats, Bu.	1,000	75.0	75,000	50
Average Age of Farmers	52.4	53.8	All Hay, Tons	15,500	2.8	43,400	51
Cash Receipts – 2003 2/	1,000 Dollars	Rank	Livestock			Number	Rank
Crops	21,506	62	Hogs and Pigs (December 1, 2004)			*	*
Livestock	7,430	74	Cattle (January 1, 2005)			11,000	67
Government Payments	5,776	61	Beef Cows (January 1, 2005)			4,500	32
Total	34,712	67	Milk Cows (January 1, 2005)			900	69

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